time, worm itself into the British list, and, on this account, I think it advisable to put the insect on record.

Corticaria crenicollis, Mannh., a new British beetle.

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Last August, when examining some dead and quite dry oak branches at Basildon, Berkshire, I came across several specimens of a small light-coloured *Corticaria*, which I at once recognised as an addition to the British list. I sent one of them to the Rev. Paul Belon, who was unable to name it, as he had not his collection with him, but suggested *C. longicollis*, Zett. I therefore obtained a specimen of this species from Herr Reitter, and, by comparing mine with this, was, by the help of Ganglbauer's "Die Käfer von Mitteleuropa," able to identify it certainly as *C. crenicollis*, Mannh., a rare species on the continent. Its nearest ally is *C. longicollis*, from which it differs in having a broader thorax and more parallel elytra. Both these species are separated by Ganglbauer from *C. serrata*, Payk., by the presence of distinct temples, but I cannot say I find this a very obvious character. *C. crenicollis* differs from *C. serrata* in being smaller (it is the smallest member of the genus), of a lighter colour, and in having more parallel and less strongly punctured elytra. At first sight it somewhat resembles *C. elongata*, Gyll., being of the same colour and nearly the same size; the thorax, however, is more evenly rounded at the sides, and more strongly punctured and crenulate, and the elytra are distinctly, although slightly, rounded at the sides.

Hearing that Mr. Pool had taken a *Corticaria* under bark this spring, at Epping, I wrote to him, and he very kindly sent me one of them, which turns out to be *C. crenicollis*. There are specimens of it mixed with *C. serrata*, in the Power collection, from Farnham, and Mr. Donisthorpe has taken a specimen at Chiddingfold, in moss, in company with ants. Mr. Edward Saunders, also, has a specimen from the Capron collection.

The Butterflies of Bagshot, Surrey.

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The following is a list of the Rhopalocera observed or taken by my friend Dr. Cruttwell and myself within a four mile radius of this place, which is situated amid the pine and heather country in that part of Surrey which borders on Berkshire, and is distant only some 27 miles by road from London:—*Pieris brassicae*, *P. rapae*, *P. napi*, *Euchloë cardamines*, *Colias edusa*, *Gonepteryx rhamni*, *Eugonia polychloros*, *Aglais urticae*, *Vanessa io*, *Pyrameis atalanta*, *P. cardui*, *Dryas paphia*, *Argynnis adippe*, *A. aglaia*, *Brenthis euphrosyne*, *Hipparchia semele*, *Pararge megaera*, *Epinephele janira*, *E. tithonus*, *Coenonympha pamphilus*, *Bithys quercûs*, *Callophrys rubi*, *Rumicia phlaeas*, *Plebeius aegon*, *Aricia astrarche*, *Polyommatus icarus*, *Agriades corydon*, *Celastrina argiolus*, *Cupido minima*, *Hesperia malvae*, *Nisoniades tages*, *Adopaea flava* (*thaumas*), and *Augiades sylvanus*, making a total of 34 species. To particularise about some of the less common species which are not merely immigrants:—

Eugonia polychloros.—Though very few elms are to be found